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Date November 21, 2003

PATENT APPLICATION
IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants : Gerald W. Becker et al.)
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Serial No. : 09/936,024)
) Group Art
Unit:
Filed : September 7, 2001) 1646
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For : FLINT POLYPEPTIDE ANALOGS) Examiner:
) E. O'Hara
Docket No. : X-12799)

AMENDMENT AND PETITION TO CORRECT
INVENTORSHIP UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.48(b)

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

1. Amendment and Petition

This amendment and petition is to delete the names of the following persons originally named as inventors and who are not the inventors of the invention now being claimed:

Fredric J. Cohen; Patricia Gonzalez-DeWhitt; Christy M. Newton; Timothy W. Noblitt; Radhakrishnan Rathmachalam; and Rainbow S. Tschang.

2. Claims Now On File

The claims in this application are as follows:

- a) originally filed claims 1-52;
- b) claims 1-15 filed in a preliminary amendment on September 7, 2001.

3. Diligence

This amendment and petition is being filed concurrently with the deletion of all claims for which the inventors who are being deleted made a contribution.

The facts involved are as follows. A previous Office Action issued a restriction requirement. The claims surviving the restriction required that the names identified herewith be petitioned for removal, as individuals no longer inventors on the claims that remain in the application.

4. Fee Payment

Please charge \$130.00, the surcharge required by §1.17(h), and charge any additional fees that may be required by this or any other related paper, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 05-0840 in the name of Eli Lilly and Company. I enclose an original and two copies of this paper.

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